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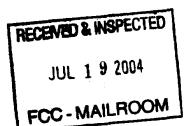
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South Baltimore Learning Center Appeal Reference CC Docket No. 02-6 Form 471 Application # 192919 Funding Year 7/01/00-6/30/01 FRN # 413501 Billed Entity # 196460

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The South Baltimore Learning Center wishes to appeal the decision of the Schools and Libraries Division of the Universal Service Administrative Company, which denied our original appeal (copy enclosed) Reference CC Docket No. 02-6.

The initial "Recovery of Erroneously Disbursed Funds" letter was received by South Baltimore Learning Center (the "SBLC") on November 18, 2003. It was in reference to a dispersal of funds in the amount of \$4,087.19 for services not received from Verizon – Maryland, Inc. ("Verizon"). The services were received by the SBLC. However, per my conversation with Robert Kannegieser of Verizon, Verizon used the wrong SPIN number when requesting reimbursement. At that point in time SBLC was receiving services from Verizon (SPIN 143001401) and Verizon Internet Services (SPIN 143004333). When the BEAR reimbursement form was filed the incorrect SPIN number was used. SPIN 143004333 should have been used, but instead SPIN # 143001401 was used. Mr. Kannegieser also informed me that since both companies are controlled by the same entity that there have been times when either company billed for the other.

Attached you will find copies of the invoices in question. The total discount given to SBLC was \$ 4,695.85, of which Verizon invoiced the Universal Service for Schools and Libraries \$4,087.19, which is less than the discounted amount. The SBLC received the services indicated on the attached invoices.

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Since no funds where dispersed for services not received, but only due to the wrong SPIN being used, I respectfully request you grant our appeal and abate the repayment.

Sincerely,

Michael Akman

Finance/Admin Manager

CC: Sonia Socha, Executive Director Robert Kannegieser, Verizon

Account #

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Invoice Date

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to 05-31-2001

Payment Due By

0.0.0.1-585315

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25 East Oatend Street

Baltimore, MD 21230

South Baltimore Learning Center

Attn: Moses Daniel/Accounts Payable

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Adjustments

\$0.08 \$0.00

\$8.00

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53,276.04

Billing questions? Call 1 800 475 7840

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DEDICATED INTERNET ACCESS

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Welcome to Verizon Network Integration Corp. If you have any questions about this invoice please call Customer Care at (800) 475-7840.

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# Monthly/Annual Charges

06-01-2001 To 05-31-2001

MSG-OPT TR Mailbox Monthly-Monthly fee for Optional

\$45.00

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SUBTOTAL -

Miscellaneous

\$45.00

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### Monthly/Annual Charges

05-01-2001 To 05-31-2001

DIAS-SMDS TR 1.8M Menthly Circuit Fees-Monthly Circuit fee

\$460,00

for SMOS Service

05-01-2001 To 05-31-2001

DIAS-SMDB TR 1.5M Monthly Fee-Monthly fee for SMDS Service

3750.00

SUBTOTAL -

SMDS

\$1,208.00

TOTAL -

DEDICATED INTERNET ACCESS

\$1.253.00

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Payment Due on

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USF

Monthly/Annual Charges 05-01-2001 To 06-31-2001

USF: Award Monthly-Monthly Fee

-\$682.20

One Time Charges

04-04-2001

USF: Award Non-Recurring-Purchase Fee

\$2,925.45

SUBTOTAL -

USF

-\$3,608.65

TOTAL -

UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND DISCOUNTS

-\$3,608.65

53,442.74

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Account # 9.8.0.1-665315 invoice # B-76061

Invoice Data 08-01-2001

Billing Period

85-01-2001

to 05-30-2001

Payment Due By

07-01-2001

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South Baltimore Learning Center

Attn: Moses Daniel/Accounts Payable

28 East Ostend Street Baltimore, MD 21230 02184

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Current Charges

DEDICATED INTERNET ACCESS

UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND DISCOUNTS

Total Charges

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Our Faderal ID Number: Fin 23-2743964

Make checks payable to:

Verizon Network Integration Corp. P.O. Box 64353 Balilmore, MD 21284-4285

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Payment Due on

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06-01-2001

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# **DEDICATED INTERNET ACCESS**

#### Miscellaneous

# Monthly/Annual Charges

06-01-2001 To 06-30-2001

MSG-OPT TR Mailbox Monthly-Monthly fee for Optional Products

\$46.00

SUBTOTAL -

Miscellaneous

\$45.00

\$450.00

\$768.00

SMDS

#### Monthly/Annual Charges

06-01-2001 To 06-30-2001

DIAS-SMOS TR 1.6M Monthly Circuit Fees-Monthly Circuit fee

for SMDS Bervice

06-01-2001 To 06-30-2001

DIAS-SMDS TR 1.5M Monthly Fee-Monthly fee for SMDS

Service

SUBTOTAL -

**SMDS** 

\$1,208.00

TOTAL -

**DEDICATED INTERNET ACCESS** 

\$1,253.00

Account # 0.0.0.1-565315

invalce B-75051 Invoice Date 96-01-2001 Billing Period

Payment Due on

06-01-2091 To 06-30-2001

07-01-2001

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### UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND DISCOUNTS

USF

Monthly/Annual Charges

08-01-2001 To 08-30-2001

USF: Award Monthly-Monthly Fee

-\$1,087.20

SUBTOTAL -

USF

-\$1,087.20

TOTAL -

UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND DISCOUNTS

-\$1,087,20